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> The President and All the Officials Kept Busy the Entire Day Shaking Hands With Callers.

Heads of Departments Hand in Their Res ignations, to Take Effect at the Pleasure of Their Superior Officiers.

WASHINGTON, March 6 .- The president signed the commissions of all the members of his caoinet this morning and they were formally inducted into office during the day. Proctor arrived at the war department about 1 o'clock. Ex-Secretary Endiott and all the chiefs of the bureaus were waiting in the secretary's office. Gen. nerman also called on the retiring secretary during the morning and remained during the ceremonies incident to a change in the administration. After Proctor had been duly installed he received all the offi-

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REPUBLICAN ROCKETS.

WASHINGTON, March 6 .- The display of ever witnessed in Washington. The exhisylvania avenue from the treasury depart-ment to the Capitol, a distance of over one VICTOR FEED MILL

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CHICAGO, March 6 .- At the funeral ser Joliet prisea while serving a life sentence robbery, Rev. Dr. Caldwell created a mild sensation by saying to the crowd: "We believe Newton Watt innocent. His accusers were almost all professional criminals or professional detectives, and I consider the two terms very near synonomous." The pastor spoke rather bitterly of several experiences he had with detectives which gave nim additional ground for his opinion. He added: "The reward offered in this case was enough to convict any one whom the detectives might select." The reward referred to was \$10,000.

The West Virginia Contest.
CWARLESTON, W. Va., March 6.-R. S Carr, president pro tem. of the state, to day moved on Gov. Wilson with a writ of que warranto to compel him to show by what right he continued to hold the gubernatorial chair. The case will not come up in court until the legal fight between Wilson and Goff is acted npou. The case of Wilson and Goff will in all probability be brought up in the supreme court to-morrow morn-

the Indianapolis insurance agent who embezzled \$500,000 and fied to Canada is re-An old acquaintance claims to have recog nized him on his arrival here at the Grand Trunk depot. The friend says Moore denied his identity when reaching Chicago, but admitted it as he was leaving. Moore is represented as apparently standing in much fear of arrest.

CHEERING CLEVELAND.

The Ex-President and His Wife Assured o the Love of the People

WASHINGTON, March 6 .- Ex-President and Mrs. Cleveland left Washington for New York at 11 o'clock, accompanied by Mrs. Folsom, ex-Postmaster General and Mrs. Dickinson, Col. and Mrs. Lamont and family. Ex-Secretary and Mrs. Fairchild escorted them to the station, where they were met by all the members of the retiring cabinet and family. The party was recognized by the crowd in the station and Cleveland was chegred until be discovered.

Cleveland was cheered until he disappeared.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Ex-President Cleveland and party arrived at Jersey City at 6 o'clock this evening. Owing to the desire of Mr. Cleveland to avoid a crowd at the depot, the train was side-tracked at Bergen Point for over an hour before coming up to the station. This device failed, however, as the crowd waited. When the train arrived there was a grand rush and as Mrs. Cleveland walked down the platform the people crowded about them, cheering loudly and followed them to their carriages. The policemen in vain attempted to stay the people. Mrs. Cleveland smiled as if pleased with the reception and Mr. Cleveland several times touched his hat. When the two finally entered their carriage and stood waiting for the other members of the party, a man proposed three cheers and a tiger for Grover Cleveland. They were given with a will, as were three cheers for Mrs. Cleveland. Then followed three and a tiger for Daniel Lamont. They were then driven to the Victoria hotel.

On their arrival at the hotel Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland immediately retired to their rooms, which were found profusely decorated with flowers sent by intimate friends. Early to-morrow morning Mr. Cleveland will be at his law office.

MINING EXCITEMENTS.

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ASPEN, Col., March 6 .- A marvelor iscovery of mineral is reported from Maroon, in this district, the particulars of which were made known to-day. Harry Adams, a prospector, was opening a trail to the Florence Belle mine when his attention was attracted to a heavy outcrop of the locality he was confronted by a welldefined vein exposed at the surface. Gathering the float he found it was im-Gathering the float he found it was impregnated with brittle and ruby silver equal in metal richness to that recently developed in the Mollie Gibson, the ore from which runs from \$5,000 to \$12,000 a a ton and is considered the wonder of the camp. The new vela is two feet between walls and shipments from it will begin at once. The discovery created intense excitement and the assay office that is testing the mineral is filled with excited spectators awaiting the returns.

California Placers. SAN FRANCISCO, March 6 .- The gold excitement in lower California near Ensenada is increasing. Many are flocking from San Diego to the gold fields and work on the Guyamaca, San Diego & Eastern railroad is stopped, the workmen leaving in a body for the mines. Steamers between San Diego and Ensenada have doubled their rates, but the rush continues. Stages are now running overland. The mines are located sixty miles southwest of Ensenada.

an Advance All Along the Line at

occurred in copper stocks at the exchange this afternoon. At 1:10 Boston and Mon tana reached 43%, an advance of 5 from the lowest quotation, and Calumet advanced to \$2.55. At 1:40 Calumet was \$2.60, and touched \$2.63, an advance of 18. Montana was 43, and touched 43%; Tamarack, \$1.40,

\$600,000.

The evening papers concur in the opinion that Rochereau committed suicide. The chiefs of the principal banking firms met to-day and resolved to place themselves at the disposal of the Comptoir des Compte in order to assure in case of necessity the repayment of all deposits.

BELGRADE, March 6 .- King Milan has

Austria.

It is stated that Milan will soon contract a morganic marriage. Many fear the return of ex-Queen Natahe.

London, March 6.—The Vienna correspondent of the Times says the Austrian cabinet has been thrown into a state of consternation by Milan's abdication, fearing that it will result in Russia's ascendancy. Milan goes to Riviera. His private debts amount to 2,000,000 florins.

NEW YORK, March 6.- A private lette rom Bongalo, on the Congo, says Henry rejoin Emin Pasha. He has not told

way of the Congo. Sept. 14 Stanley's courler, bound for Europe, who arrived at Salli
with a letter addressed to M. Brown, was
taken sick, so his intelligence will be delayed. It seems Tippoa Tip did not rejoin
Stanley, as the latter requested in an already published letter written at Arenia,
Aug. 17, but sent his trusted lieutenant to
follow Stanley, spy out the land and
make friends with the natives of the new
country. ading Iron works has caused a great arry among iron men. Last night the sounty, a great portion of whose products were received by the Reading Iron works, losed down for want ot orders, and this forenoon the Keystone Rolling mill of this sity, whose entire product is taken by the Reading works, also shut down.

How Opinions Differ. Berlin, March 6.—The National Ga ette, on Harrison's inaugural says: There is is no reason to doubt the president's pa-cific principles, or the sincerity of his opin-ion regarding a peaceful adjustment of in-ternational difficulties, although he recom-mends the strengthening of the navy and his tone toward foreign countries proclaims the beginning of a new era in American development and a display of a more as-sertive policy by the United States.

LONDON, March 5 .- In the commons this reply to the queen's speech. It was carried,

LAND OF PROMISE.

Conditions of the Measure by Which Part of Oklahoma Will Be Opened to Settlement.

Purchase of the Seminole and Cher kee Lands Only Provided for in the Present Bill.

ble, with a Limitation for Townsite Purposes and Railway Right of Way.

ion attendant upon the closing hours o tood. The impression has gained cur rency that all the provisions of the bill or ganizing the territory of Oklahoma in efect were embodied in the Indian appropriation bill. This is not the case. The mendments agreed to relate to the Seminole and Cherokee lands and are as folows: The sum of \$1,912,943 is appropriated to pay in full the Seminole nation for

lows: The sum of \$1,912,943 is appropriated to pay in full the Seminole nation for all right, title, interest and claim they may have in and to certain lands ceded by the treaty of 1866, containing 2,037,415 acres; of this sum \$1,500,000 shall remain in the treasury, 5 per cent. interest to be paid semi-annually to the treasurer of the nation, and \$412,848 of this to be available immediately for distribution. This appropriation is to become operative upon the execution by duly appointed delegates of said nation of the release and conveyance to the United States of all the right, title, interest and claim of said lands in and to said lands in a manner and form satisfactory to the president of the United States. It is further provided that such release, conveyance and extinguishment shall not inure to the benefit of or cause to vest in any railroad company any right, title or interest whatever in or to any of said lands, and all laws or parts of laws, so far as they conflict with the foregoing, are repealed, except rights of way and depot grounds. The lands as acquired shall be part of the public domain, two sections in each townships to be reserved for the use and benefit of public schools. The lands thus acquired, except the school sections, are to be disposed of to actual settlers under the homestead law only, except as herein otherwise provided; and provided further, that any person who, having attempted to but for any cause failed to secure title in fee to a homestead under the existing law, or who made an entry under what is known as the commuted provision of the homestead law, shall be qualified to make a homestead law, shall be qualified to make a homestead law, shall be qualified to enter y shall be in a square form, as nearly as possible, and no person shall be permitted to enter more than one quarter section thereof. But until such lands are opened for settlement by proclamation of the president, no person shall be permitted to enter upon and occupy the same, and no person violating this provision shal

no person violating this provision shall ever be allowed to enter any of said lands or acquire any rights thereon. The secretary of the interior may, after said proclamations and not before, permit the entry of said land for townsites, but no such entry shall embrace more than one half section of land. All the foregoing provisions shall apply to and regulate the disposals of lands acquired from the Muskogee or [Creek Indians by the articles of cession and agreement of Jan. 19, 1889.

The president is authorized to appoint three commissions to negotiate with the Cherokees and all other indians owning or claiming lands lying west of the 96th degree of longitude, Indian Territory, (the Cherokee outlet) for cession to the United States of all their title, claim or interest. The commission is further authorized to submit to the Cherokee Nation a proposition that said nation shall cede their lands to the United States upon the same terms as to payment as is provided in the agreement with the Creeks. If the Cherokees shall accept, said lands shall thereupon become a part of the public domain, for the purpose of such disposition as is provided herein, and the president is authorized, as soon thereafter as he may deem advisable, by proclamation to open said lands to settlement in the same manner and to the same effect as is provided concerning the lands acquired from the Creeks. The president may, whenever he deems necessary, create not for exceed two land districts, embracing the lands which he may open to settlement by proclamation as herein before provided, and is empowed to locate land offices to the same, appointing persons thereto in conformity to the existing laws relating to registers and receivers.

PARIS, March 6 .- The magistrates who are conducting the inquiry into the affairs of the Patriotic League have found docu-ments proving that the league was engaged in a scheme to mobilize its members. The Temps says the government intends to criminally prosecute the chiefs of the league for conspiracy against the state. De Roulede, Laguerre and Richard will be prosecuted for organizing illegal socie-ties, instead of on the original charge of exposing the country to the risk of war in order to avoid a trial by jury.

SANTA FE, N. M., March 6 .- The nev spection law, framed with a view to prong the sale of the "Big Four's" pro ducts in New Mexico, went into effect to-day. The law provides for the inspection of live animals intended for human food prohibits the sale or use of the uncured meat of unprotected cattle and hogs, and forbids the sale of imported fresh meats.

EARLVILLE, Ill., March 6 .- To-night Paniel McLachlan, aged 22, killed Carrie Carrahan, aged 13, and then uicide. The pair eloped Sunday night rom Paw Paw, Ill., and have had a weary time of it since, eluding the detectives.

McLachian was a blacksmith and the gir
the daughter of a well-to do hotel keeper.

WAUKESHA, Wis., March 6 .- Mrs. Ann Driscoll decapitated her sleeping husband l'imothy, with an axe during a temporary fit of insanity, near Delafield this morning and attempted to murder her son also. Her reason has returned. She says she was impelled to murder the entire family to avert an imagined calamity. Will Fight This Month.

BOSTON, March 6 .- For the fourth tin within a couple of months Frank Murphy, cles to fight for the featherweight championship of the world. They bind themselves to fight to a finish with kid gloves between the 28th and 30th of the present month, at some point within 250 miles of Chicago. Charged With Poisoning a Family. LOUISVILLE, March 6.—On Spruce Creek

ear Mount Sterling, Frank Conkwright,

arrested for poisoning Conkwright's family of nine children, aged from three to nine-teen years. Conkwright is a widower, and has been living in unlawful intimacy with the Holden woman. One of the children is dead and the others are quite ill. An Insurance Company Goes Under. COLUMBUS, O., March 6.—The Mahoning National Life association, doing an insurplan, failed to-day, and asked an order of court for a dissolution. An inventory shows \$30,000 cash and \$21,000 notes and accounts. The risks amount to \$10,000,000.

THE LAW SUPREME.

The Military Guard the Bozeman Jail, and

dering out the militia to guard the fail in response to the request made by the mayor, who feared that an attempt would be made to Lynch Walters, the alleged murderer of his wife. The local company responded to the call and a detachment of sixteen men were placed around the jail. No dem onstrations toward raiding the jail were made, although several groups of men could be seen during the night, evidently waiting for a leader, and six mounted mer came in from the country to take part The danger of entering the jail was at first overlooked, but when the lynchers saw that the sheriff would make a determined stand for the prisoner they gave up their purpose. The town has assumed its usual quietness and no danger is feared. Nothing new regarding the murder has been learned and those most bitter against the prisoner concede that he should have a fair trial, as he so far has been confronted solely by the circumstantial evidence of a small boy. The prisoner seems to be in a happy mood and when informed of the verdict of the coroner's jury did not change a muscle. The son has been released and was at the funeral of his mother

MAD DOG PANIC.

West Virginia County Overrun With

NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. Va., March -Notwithstanding two to three hundred dogs suspected of being mad or infected to some degree with rables have been killed in this (Wetzel) county during the past thirty days, the interior of the county still seems to be overrun with canines in a danple is general. There has been considers

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The senate simply met and sujourned pyesterday.

Queen Victoria sailed yesterday for Cherbourg, on her way to Barritz.

Sir. Julian Pauncefote, the new British minister to the United States, will start for Washington about the end of the month.

The wholesale saddlery firm of Henry & Lacroix, of Montreal, Que., assigned. It is said the liabilities will reach \$200,000.

Emperor William yesterday gave a break-fast to Lieut Grahenreuth, Councillor Krauel and six officers belonging to Wiss-mann's expedition. He announced to his guests the recapture of Bagamoy and two guns which the Arabs had taken from the Germans. The Arab loss was heavy.

Two hack drivers got into an altercation in front of the Grand Central last night pugilistic parlance, when Officer Quentin put in appearance and attempted to arrest the victor, who did not propose to be arrested. The officer and his man clenched and the officer was thrown but getting into a favorable position he drew his revolver and succeeded in placing him under arrest. The hackmen were taken to jail, where they gave bonds for their appearance in court this morning. It is claimed that the officer would have had no difficulty in arresting the combatants had he not insisted on marching the victor to jail without giving him an opportunity to see to his team. However, there may be a difference of opinion.

it was the intention to have brought off the Cardiff and Donaldson exhibition in ger Maguire last evening to play the com-bination through the circuit, consequently the exhibition will be given at the opera house instead of the rink. The following local sparrers will assist: Billy Hawkins, Frank Shepley, Shannon, Flynn Bros., and the little "wonders," Jake and Aleck Goodman. A purse of \$50 will be given to anyone whom Patsey Cardiff or Prof. Don-aldson cannot best in six rounds. Cardiff is on his way to San Francisco to fight Jackson, the colored champion of Austra-lia and the Pacific coast, for a purse of \$3,000, given by the California Athletic club.

open at Ming's this evening and will give They will be on the street to-day at noon. The troupe comprises some names well known in minstrelsy and the burnt cork artists will receive a royal welcome on apening night.

Joe K. Emmet will appear at the opera house Monday night, and will give an entertainment such as none but J. K. Emmet can give. After Emmett come Ovide Musin and his celebrated concert company.

T. C. Power and M. H. Keefe will begin torn down was occupied as a livery stable by Joseph O'Neill, and is one of the oldest landmarks in the city. The lot was pur-chased by Messrs. Power and Keefe last summer, and where the building which was once the pride of Last Chance guleh stood will arise a stately edifice showing the progress of our wonderful city.

Montana Bakery.

Having bought the above bakery from May Bros. I respectfully solicit a continuance of their customers' trade, and guaran tee that I will continue to give the bes

UNITE THE LINES

All the Union Pacific Branches Cen-BOZEMAN, March 6 .- [Special to the In-ependent.]-About 10 o'clock last night tering at Ogden to Be Merged word was received from the governor or-

in One Company.

The Consolidation of the Oregon Short Line and the Utah Northern the First Move.

on of State Bailroad Commissioners at Washington-Moving in Force Upon Boulder Canon Grade.

NEW YORK, March 6 .- A Boston specity to-day: For some time past the queslines of the Union Pacific system centering at Ogden has been under conside The necessary papers have now been drawn up and the directors have the im Line and the Utah & Northern railway companies before them. The first step in oringing this about was taken at a meet ing of the Oregon Short Line trustees held on Monday of this week, and the succ ing steps will be taken as rapidly as the forms of law will permit. The question of incorporating with this company the other Utah lines of the Union Pacific system is also under consideration. The proposed consolidation, if carried through in all its parts, will undoubtedly exercise a decided influence not only upon the affairs of the Union Pacific, but upon the future development of the whole territory tributary to Salt Lake City and Ogden.

DILLON TO HELENA.

Soulder Canon Liable to be the Scene of

BOULDER, March 6 .- [Special to the Incaused here yesterday evening by the advent of 170 railroad graders, who came in and rumors of a conflicting character were rife upon the streets as to their mi Your correspondent, upon inquiry, had no difficulty in ascertaining that they were railroad graders in the employ of the Union Pacific, and came here to resume operations on the projected line of the Union tions on the projected line of the Pacific running from Dillon to E They started this morning for the Jeffer

NEW YORK, March 6.-The annual eting of the Texas Pacific road was held

WASHINGTON, March 6 .- The first sub-

PORTLAND, Ore., March 6.—The orders ently issued from the head offices of the The same state of affairs exists on Puget Sound. This works serious inconvenience to travellers, shippers and mails. As the law requires masters and pilots in these waters must have at least five years experience there, the company cannot fill the strikers' places and has not been able to arrive at a compromise. Public sympathy is with the strikers.

business.

A resolution was finally adopted that the payment of commissions on passenger business cease after to-morrow, and an endeavor will be made to persuade all con-NEW YORK, March 6 .- The Sun will an-

nounce to-morrow that Samuel Spencer, ately president of the Baltimore & Ohio

A car load of the above delicious fru seived to-day by Lindsay & Co., lmt'd.

Mr. Gabisch, who has been in our employ for the past four years is highly recommended to our late customers, who will continue to receive the usual quality of bread and cakes from him. May Buos.